

NUTRITION SERVICES DIVISION MANAGEMENT BULLETIN		No. 03-707
TO:	Summer Food Service Program Sponsors	ISSUE DATE: May 2003
ATTENTION:	Food Program Director	
SUBJECT:	Special Restricted Open Sites	
REFERENCE:	2003 Sponsor Administrative Guidance	

This Management Bulletin provides information regarding a new type of Summer Food Service Program site. The new "special restricted open site" allow sponsors to serve SFSP meals to children who are transported from needy eligible to non-needy ineligible areas.

To qualify, the "special restricted open site" must:

- Draw children from eligible areas where at least 50 percent of the children qualify for free or reduced price meals according to school or census data;
- Allow all children from the eligible area to participate, but may limit the number participating due to reasons of security, safety, or control;
- Have no bussing or attendance fee; and
- Restrict children from the surrounding ineligible area from participating in the meal service.

An example of a "special restricted open site" is when a sponsor wishes to provide activities and nutritious meals to children from an eligible area, but is unable to secure a site in that geographic area. Without charge, the sponsor transports the children from the eligible area to a site that is located in an ineligible area.

If you wish to operate a "special restricted open site," please submit the attached Site Information Sheet for approval.

If you have any questions, please contact your nutrition services representative, the Field Services Unit at (916) 445-0850 or (800) 952-5609, or Melissa Garza at (916) 322-5885 or mgarza@cde.ca.gov.

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